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SUBJECT: JUDICIAL ASSISTANCE: UNITED STATES V. IBM

1. ANTITRUST DIVISION OF DEPT OF JUSTICE WISHES TO SEND

TWO ATTORNEYS TO LONDON TO TAKE DEPOSITION IN CONNECTION
WITH ABOVE CASE.

2. ATTORNEYS WOULD LIKE TO ARRIVE ON 7/22, PREPARE FOR
DEPOSITION ON 7/24 AND 25, AND TAKE TESTIMONY 7/26 THRU
8/3. THEY WOULD NEED OFFICE SPACE FOR PREPARATION
PERIOD (7/22-25) AND ROOM IN WHICH TO TAKE DEPOSITION.
ROOM SHOULD BE LARGE ENOUGH FOR TWO GOVT ATTORNEYS, TWO
3BM-ATTORNEYS, STENOTYPYST, VIDEO EQUIPMENT AND OPERAT
IBM ATTORNEYS, STENOTYPYST, VIDEO EQUIPMENT AND
OPERATOR, AND WITNESS.

3. DEPT HAS INFORMED JUSTICE OF DEPOSITION SCHEDULED
FOR LONDON 7/18-3L (UNITED STATES V. WILLIES, STATE TEL
13944) AND SUGGESTED THAT THEIR PLANS MIGHT HAVE TO BE
CHANGED. IF EMBASSY CANNOT ACCOMMODATE THIS SECOND GROUP
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AT TIME THEY HAVE REQUESTED, PLEASE ADVISE DEPT OF DATE
WHEN FACILITIES WOULD BE AVAILABLE.

4. REGARDLESS OF DATE, JUSTICE ATTORNEYS (ROBERT R.
DONLAN AND ALAN N. ISSELSON) WILL NEED HELP IN MAKING
RESERVATIONS AT MODERATELY PRICED HOTEL, ARRANGING
FOR VIDEO EQUIPMENT AND OPERATOR, AND FINDING STENO-

TYPIST (PREFERABLY NOTARY) WHO CAN PROVIDE THEM WITH
DAILY TRANSCRIPTS OF TESTIMONY. PLEASE ADVISE IF
EMBASSY CAN ASSIST IN THESE ARRANGEMENTS. VANCE

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